

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
GREENVILLE DIVISION**

Michael Sean Seely,

Plaintiff,

v.

Nancy A. Berryhill, Acting Commissioner  
of Social Security Administration,

Defendant.

Civil Action No. 6:16-cv-03743-TLW

**ORDER**

On May 16, 2018, Plaintiff Michael Sean Seely filed a Motion for Attorney's Fees and Costs Pursuant to the Equal Access to Justice Act ("EAJA"), 28 U.S.C. § 2412. ECF No. 25. The motion seeks reimbursement for counsel's fees and expenses in the above-captioned matter in the amount of \$4,959.25. *Id.* On May 25, 2018, the parties filed a Stipulation for an Award of Attorney's Fees Pursuant to the EAJA, whereby the Commissioner and Plaintiff agreed that the Commissioner shall award Plaintiff \$4,650.00 in attorney's fees under the EAJA. ECF No. 27.

After careful review, the Court hereby **ORDERS** that the Stipulation for an Award of Attorney's Fees Pursuant to the EAJA, ECF No. 27, is **APPROVED**, and the Commissioner is to award Plaintiff \$4,650.00 in attorney's fees.<sup>1</sup>

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

s/Terry L. Wooten

Terry L. Wooten

Chief United States District Judge

June 5, 2018  
Columbia, South Carolina

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<sup>1</sup> Although the EAJA fee award should be paid to Plaintiff rather than to his attorney pursuant to *Astrue v. Ratliff*, 560 U.S. 586, 595-96 (2010), the check itself should be mailed directly to the business address of Plaintiff's counsel.